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PART III

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB

DEPARTMENT OF HOME AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE (JUDICIAL -1 BRANCH)

NOTIFICATION

The 9th August, 2024

No. G.S.R. 29/Const./Art.233 and 309/Amd.(4)/2024.- In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 233 read with the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, Governor of Punjab, in consultation with the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Superior Judicial Service Rules, 2007, namely:-

RULES

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Superior Judicial Service (Amendment) Rules, 2024.
 - (2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Punjab Superior Judicial Service Rules, 2007, in Appendix 'A',-
 - (i) In serial No. 2, for the words "District and Sessions Judges", the words "Principal District and Sessions Judges" shall be substituted;
 - (ii) In serial No. 4, for the words "Additional District and Sessions Judges", the words "District and Additional Sessions Judges" shall be substituted; and
 - (iii) In serial No. 5, for the words and sign "Additional District and Sessions Judges as Leave Reserve/deputation/training", the words and sign "District and Additional Sessions Judges as Leave Reserve/deputation/training" shall be substituted.

GURKIRAT KIRPAL SINGH, IAS,

Administrative Secretary to Government of Punjab, Department of Home Affairs and Justice.

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No. G.S.R. 30/Const./Art. 234 and 309/Amd.(32)/2024.- In exercise of the powers conferred by Article 234 read with the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, Governor of Punjab, in consultation with the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, is pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Punjab Civil Service (Judicial Branch) Rules, 1951, namely:-

RULES

- 1. (1) These rules may be called the Punjab Civil Service (Judicial Branch) (Amendment) Rules, 2024.
 - (2) They shall come into force on and with effect from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Punjab Civil Service (Judicial Branch) Rules, 1951 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in Part D,-
 - (i) for rule 5, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"Every candidate shall, within a period of two years from the date of joining the service, pass the Departmental Examination in the manner and as per the criteria prescribed by the High Court from time to time, failing which his name shall be removed from the register of candidates. The Departmental Examination shall be conducted by the High Court or any agency or authority nominated by the Chief Justice:

Provided that the High Court may exempt any candidate from passing the whole or any part of the Departmental Examination or may extend the period within which the candidate shall pass the Departmental Examination."; and

- (ii) rule 9A shall be omitted.
- 3. In the said rules, part E shall be omitted.

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